

**AMENDMENTS TO THE ABSTRACT:**

Please amend page 10, paragraph 2, to read as follows:

**[Abstract:] ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

A recessed lighting fixture with a device for quickly mounting or dismounting the lamp is disclosed. The device compris[ing:]es an annular body [(1) with] having a front edge [(5)] defining an aperture [(7)] with dimensions generally greater than the diameter of [said] the lamp[;].\_[f]Flexible retaining [means (10, 11)] members extend[ing] radially from the front edge [(5)] at the aperture [(7)], suitable for holding the body at the lamp laterally[;].\_[a]At least a pair of radial projections [(9)] extend[ing] internally from the edge [(5)] and defin[ing]e a span [with] having a width generally smaller than the diameter of the lamp, [so] such that the [latter] edge rests against the radial projections [(9)] and is forced against them by the flexible retaining [means] members.